

NEWSPAPERARCH

THE BURLINGTON ENTERPRISE, of last week, puts some pertinent questions to its readers in an editorial article headed "Bristol vs. Burlington." It inquires: "Why is it that our neighbor across the river in the clothing and mill industries of various kinds, and we are not?"

Why is it that capitalists and manufacturers seek Bristol instead of Burlington to invest their money and bring their hardy operatives to it? It does not, however, find an answer to the queries it puts forth, but after telling how refreshing it is to a quiet Burlingtonian to take a walk about the streets of Bristol, and witness the iron works, the new worsted mill, and the various mechanical operations which are going on, stirring the heart of general business and giving an impulse of thrift and prosperity to the entire community, it gives the following good counsel which we Bristolians do well to heed: "Considering the general depression of the times, Burlington has no occasion for discouragement, but we need to do more. Labor must be employed. Enterprise must be stimulated. Immigration must be encouraged. We must quit the ex-cathedro fashion of doing business, and move with the moving tides of new and improved transit in all the avenues of mercantile and mechanical effort."

Ex-President Grant, who sailed for Europe on the 24th, arrived at Liverpool on Monday last, where he met with the most cordial and honorable reception from the Americans and English together, at Liverpool. Mr. Adams, United States Consul-General at London, and the Vice-Consul (Gen. Consul Fairchild's absence), with several prominent Americans, went in a tender to meet a ship. The Mayor of Liverpool, with a number of prominent citizens, received General Grant at the landing stage on the return of the tender. The Mayor made a formal address of welcome, repeating the deep interest the citizens of Liverpool felt in having him among them, and allusions to his military and naval services, and his acceptance of the hospitalities which were extended in the name of the great commercial city represented. Gen. Grant, in reply, expressed the great satisfaction he felt in accepting the hospitalities tendered and modestly ascribed his warm reception to the cordial feeling of England toward his country and people.

The County Court, at Seneca, a year ago appointed auditors to make an audit of the finances of Lawrence county during the past seven years. These auditors have completed their task, and the result is published. The report reveals a record of official dishonesty unparalleled in the records of the history of the county, and shows how the commissioners, treasurers, sheriffs, clerks, and others, have stolen heavily from the county. The thefts were committed by means of false contracts, the alteration of records and figures, the retention of taxes and other devices. It is estimated that the amount stolen is \$100,000, one half of which is positively proved. One ex-treasurer, three commissioners, an ex-clerk and a clerk, convicted of such rascality, are already in prison, and the people are determined, if possible, to send other delinquents to the same place.

New Yorkers are very easily amused, and it takes but little to create a sensation in this city. An incident which happened last Saturday, fully illustrates this. It was announced that the Coaching Club, composed of gentlemen who have been studying the high art of a clock. Accordingly, the whole city turned out, and lined Fifth avenue from Twenty-third street to Central Park to see eleven coaches, each with a very elegantly dressed driver on top, driven up and down the street. It was a wonderful sight on top—the coaches and the fair women perched on top—has the throne of people and the double lines of carriages that crowded the avenue for an hour. What will be found next to amuse the New Yorkers?

A young man calling himself Robert Patterson, was arrested in Philadelphia, last Friday, on the charge of having stolen a pair of horses from Yardleyville, Pa. At the time he was offering the horses for sale, and had nearly completed the bargain, agreeing to take fifty dollars apiece. When taken into custody he confessed that he had stolen the animals, and gave as a reason for it that he was hard up. Alderman Carpenter held him in \$2000 bail for his appearance at the Bucks county Court on Friday.

Another verdict under the civil Damage Law has been reached in Brooklyn. Mary A. Richards has obtained damages to the amount of \$500 against Adolph Hoffman, keeper of a drinking saloon on Broadway, Brooklyn, and Henry Starks, the owner of the property, for selling liquor to her husband, Edward R. Richards, and thereby depriving his family of his services.

The very oldest Free and Accepted Mason in the United States is Col. Nathaniel Mason of Unity, N. H. He is 95 years of age, and was made a Mason 74 years ago. He is of the Democratic persuasion, and has voted for Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Van Buren, Polk, Pierce, Buchanan, Presidents, and for Governor Tilden.

Since the publication of the Russian manifesto, which opened war upon Turkey, on April 24th, there has been but little accomplished beyond the massing of the Russian forces and some indecisive skirmishing. And it is not unlikely that several weeks more will be consumed in these preliminary movements.

The Blaine admirers had a secret meeting in Washington, last Thursday night. Blaine's friends say that that gentleman don't know anything about it. The number present is estimated at the way from 6 to 160. But what their names, or where they belong, to one appears to know.

Mrs. Alice Eddy West, one of the "materializing" Eddy family of Ohio, last week, attempted to commit suicide one day, by cutting her throat with an ordinary pocket-knife, and her recovery is doubtful.

Mr. J. Lethrop Motley, the American historian, died of paralysis, Tuesday, at Kensington House, Dorchester, England; the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Algernon Sheridan.

New buildings for the accommodation of pupils at Harvard college are rapidly going up, in fulfillment of the design to enlarge the operations of the institution.

The United States Circuit Court at Oregon recently affirmed "out of respect" to its clerk, who had committed suicide at the close of a month of constant intoxication.

Fletcher Harper, the youngest and last surviving member of the original firm of Harper & Brothers, New York, died last Tuesday, of gastric fever.

Senator Morton approves President Hayes' Southern policy.

It is said the debt statement for this month will show a reduction of about \$9,000,000.

During the progress of the athletic games at Cornwall, Canada, on Thursday, a huge sledging hammer struck the handle of an athlete, and struck a young girl named Ellen Kavanagh, killing her instantly.

David Thompson, of Jefferson county, was struck by lightning and instantly killed a few days ago. He was struck while crossing a field and was much disfigured.

